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COORDINATING COMMITTEE

RECORD OF DISCUSSION

ON

PROFOSED NETHERLANDS EXPORT OF

NICKEL ALLOYS AND TUNGSTEN WIRE TO POLAND

25th April, 1960

Present:

Belgium(Luxembourg), Canada, France, Germany, Italy, Japan,

Netherlands, Turkey, United Kingdom, United States.

Reference: COCOM Doc. 3947.

- 1. The CHAIRMAN drew the Committee's attention to a Netherlands proposal to export to Poland nickel alloys, covered by Item 1661 and valued at \$ 2,800, and tungsten wire, covered by Item 1668 and valued at \$ 1,560.
- The UNITED STATES Delegate stated that he had asked the Netherlands Delegation contain questions concerning the tungsten wire involved. As he had received no answer as yet, he would have to ask his Netherlands colleague for a little extra time before expressing final views. As regards the other items involved in the Netherlands' request, i.a. the ferro-chromium nickel alloy tape and the nickel iron alloy rod, the United States Government would raise no objection.
- No other objections were raised to the Netherlands proposal.
- 4. The NETHERLANDS Delegate thanked Delegations for their favourable views. He had transmitted the United States Delegation's request to his authorities and was still awaiting a reply. He undertook to give these answers on a bilateral basis and to inform the Committee subsequently.